

Notice of Allowability

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1. ☒ This communication is responsive to 09/14/2006.
2. ☒ The allowed claim(s) is/are 21-46.
3. ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
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4. ☐ A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted. Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives reason(s) why the oath or declaration is deficient.
5. ☐ CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") must be submitted.
 - (a) ☐ including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) attached
 - 1) ☐ hereto or 2) ☐ to Paper No./Mail Date _____.
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6. ☐ DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.

Attachment(s)

1. ☐ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
2. ☐ Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
3. ☒ Information Disclosure Statements (PTO/SB/08),
Paper No./Mail Date _____
4. ☐ Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit of Biological Material
5. ☐ Notice of Informal Patent Application
6. ☐ Interview Summary (PTO-413),
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7. ☐ Examiner's Amendment/Comment
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9. ☐ Other _____

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EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Kevin J. Zilka on 11/29/2006.

The application has been amended as follows:

40. (Currently Amended) A computer program product embodied on a computer readable medium for use in association with a network browser, comprising:

computer code for displaying a plurality of identifiers separate from a window in which content associated with uniform resource locators (URLs) is displayed, in association with a network browser for browsing content on a network including the Internet;

computer code for pre-selecting one of the identifiers, where the pre-selecting is performed by a user and includes clicking one of the identifiers;

computer code for displaying the content associated with at least one of the URLs utilizing the network browser; and

computer code for correlating displayed content with the pre-selected identifier in a manner that is dependent on the pre-selection of the pre-selected identifier which is separate from the at least one URL, and further storing the displayed content.

43. (Currently Amended) A system, comprising:

a computer;

a network browser installed on the computer;

computer code for displaying a plurality of identifiers [[adjacent]] to the side of a window in which content associated with uniform resource locators (URLs) is displayed, in association with the network browser for browsing content on a network including the Internet;

computer code for allowing a user to pre-select one of the identifiers;
computer code for displaying the content associated with at least one of the URLs
utilizing the network browser; and
computer code for correlating selected displayed content with the pre-selected identifier in a
manner that is based on the pre-selected identifier which is different from the URLs, and further
storing the selected displayed content.

45. (Currently Amended) A system, comprising:

in association with a network browser installed on a computer for browsing content
associated with uniform resource locators (URLs) using a back button, a forward button, a
refresh button, and a home button; computer code for displaying a plurality of identifiers in a
portion of a graphical user interface adjacent to the window in which the content associated with
the URLs is displayed;

computer code for pre-selecting one of the identifiers in the portion of the graphical user
interface adjacent to the window in which the content associated with the URLs is displayed, in
association with the network browser, where the pre-selecting is carried out by a user and
includes clicking the identifier;

computer code for displaying the content associated with at least one of the URLs
utilizing the window of the network browser; and

computer code for performing the following operations after the identifier is clicked:

identifying a selection of the content,

as a result of the selection, correlating the content with the clicked identifier in a
manner that is based on the pre-selected identifier which is different from the URLs, and
storing the content;

wherein the computer code is embodied on a computer readable medium.

46. (Currently Amended) An archival computer-implemented process, comprising:

in association with a network browser for browsing content on a network including the
Internet, displaying a plurality of identifiers in a side portion of a graphical user interface
adjacent to a window in which content associated with uniform resource locators (URLs) is

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displayed, utilizing a processor coupled to memory, the network browser including a back button, a forward button, a refresh button, and a home button;

allowing a user to pre-select one of the identifiers in the side portion of the graphical user interface adjacent to the window in which the content associated with the URLs is displayed, where the pre-selection includes clicking the identifier; and

thereafter,

displaying the content associated with at least one URL utilizing the window of the network browser, and

correlating the displayed content with the pre-selected identifier in a manner that is based on the pre-selected identifier which is separate from the URLs for storage purposes;

wherein any content selected during use of the network browser results in automatic correlation with the pre-selected identifier.

Allowable Subject Matter

Claims 21-46 are allowed.

The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:

After reviewing the prior art of record, the prior art either alone or in combination doesn't teach the following limitations:

“allowing a user to pre-select one of the identifiers which is different from the URLs; and thereafter,

displaying the content associated with at least one of the URLs utilizing the network browser,

correlating selected displayed content with the pre-selected identifier in a manner that is based on the pre-selected identifier which is different from the URLs, and

storing the selected displayed content” in combination with other claimed features (Claim 21);

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“computer code for pre-selecting one of the identifiers, where the pre-selecting is performed by a user and includes clicking one of the identifiers; and

computer code for correlating displayed content with the pre-selected identifier in a manner that is dependent on the pre-selection of the pre-selected identifier which is separate from the at least one URL, and further storing the displayed content” in combination with other claimed features (see Claim 40);

“computer code for displaying allowing a user to pre-select at least one of the identifiers; and

computer code for correlating selected displayed content with the pre-selected identifier in a manner that is dependent on the pre-selected identifier which is distinct with respect to the URLs” in combination with other claimed features (see Claim 41);

“means for allowing a user to pre-select at least one of the identifiers; and means for storing the content and correlating selected displayed content with the pre-selected identifier in a manner that is based on the pre-selected identifier which is distinct with respect to the URLs, after the pre-selection” in combination with other claimed features (see Claim 42);

“computer code for allowing a user to pre-select one of the identifiers; and
computer code for correlating selected displayed content with the pre-selected identifier in a manner that is based on the pre-selected identifier which is different from the URLs, and further storing the selected displayed content” in combination with other claimed features (see Claim 43);

“allowing a user to pre-select an identifier associated with one of the buckets; and
correlating selected displayed content with the pre-selected identifier for archival purposes in a manner that is based on the selection of the pre-selected identifier which is different from the at least one URL, after the pre-selection and upon the selection of the selected displayed content” in combination with other claimed features (see Claim 44);

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“computer code for pre-selecting one of the identifiers in the portion of the graphical user interface adjacent to the window in which the content associated with the URLs is displayed, in association with the network browser, where the pre-selecting is carried out by a user and includes clicking the identifier; and

computer code for performing the following operations after the identifier is clicked:

identifying a selection of the content,

as a result of the selection, correlating the content with the clicked identifier in a manner that is based on the pre-selected identifier which is different from the URLs, and storing the content” in combination with other claimed features(see Claim 45);

“allowing a user to pre-select one of the identifiers in the portions of the graphical user interface adjacent to the window in which the content associated with the URLs is displayed, where the pre-selection includes clicking the identifier; and

correlating the displayed content with the pre-selected identifier in a manner that is based on the pre-selected identifier which is separate from the URLs for storage purposes” in combination with other claimed features (see Claim 46).

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled “Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance.”

Inquiries

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Thanh T. Vu whose telephone number is (571) 272-4073. The examiner can normally be reached on Mon-Thur and every other Fri 7:30 AM - 5:00 PM.

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If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Kristine L. Kincaid can be reached on (571) 272-4063. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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